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Applicant : MARTIN GREIVE
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Title : DEVICE FOR SIMULTANEOUSLY HOLDING BY SUCTION AND
TRANSPORTING A SHEET

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

German published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 44 06 739 A1 (Esposito), dated September 7, 1995, device for a steady sucking of a flat body, particular for printing machines and their accessory devices;

German published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 196 16 714 A1 (Voge), dated November 6, 1997, device for transporting a stream of sheets, particularly shingled sheets, to a sheet-processing machine;

German published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 197 28 056 A1 (Demand et al.), dated January 7, 1999, feedboard for cyclical transporting of sheets to a sheet-processing machine;

European Patent Application EP 1 060 897 A2 (Kakiwaki et al.), dated December 20, 2000;

PCT WO 99/11551 (Temple et al.), dated March 11, 1999.

If no translation of pertinent portions of any foreign language patents or publications mentioned above is included with the aforementioned copies of those applications, patents and/or publications, it is because no existing translation is readily available to the applicant.

Respectfully submitted,


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